## **HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 704**

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A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate the 2016 Mule Day Court First Runner Up, Kendyl Ansley Colvett.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should salute those young citizens who, through their extraordinary efforts, have distinguished themselves as outstanding Tennesseans of whom we can all be proud; and

WHEREAS, one such noteworthy person is Kendyl Ansley Colvett, who was recently selected as the 2016 Mule Day Court First Runner Up; and

WHEREAS, the seventeen-year-old daughter of Gerry and April Colvett of Columbia, Kendyl Colvett is a future student of the Honors College at Middle Tennessee State University (MTSU) and a senior at Columbia Central High School, where she is a member of the National Honor Society, Beta Club, and yearbook staff and anchor of the school's television show, *Pride TV*; and

WHEREAS, an active part of her community, Miss Colvett is a volunteer at the Columbia Center of the Arts Children's Museum, where she has contributed more than 150 hours of service; and

WHEREAS, Miss Colvett's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her family, her community, and the citizens of Maury County; and

WHEREAS, the Mule Day Queen and her court play a prominent role in the promotion of Mule Day, participating in media interviews and serving as hostesses during the festivities; and

WHEREAS, 2016 Mule Day Court First Runner Up Kendyl Ansley Colvett epitomizes the spirit of distinction and the commitment to greatness that are characteristic of true Tennesseans; her dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect and admiration of this legislative body; and

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly find it appropriate to pause in their deliberations to acknowledge and applaud this young woman for her remarkable achievement; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and congratulate Kendyl Ansley Colvett upon being selected as the 2016 Mule Day Court First Runner Up, extending to her our best wishes for every future success and happiness.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.